

SOCIETY

RICHMOND women are already planning many box parties to be given for Madame Marchesi's concert in the Academy of Music on the evening of February 12th, and society is antcipating with pleasure this musical treat.

Among the prominent women who have already consented to be patronesses are: Mrs. R. Carter Scott, Mrs. Thomas Bolling, Mrs. W. H. Palmer, Jr., Mrs. Edward C. Mayo, Mrs. Edmund O. McCabe, Mrs. Edward J. Willis, Mrs. W. D. Day, Mrs. Langbourne Williams, Mrs. Frances Deane Williams, Mrs. Stewart Woodward, Mrs. Coleman Wortham, Mrs. A. Churchill Young, Mrs. P. M. Wise, Mrs. E. Randolph Williams, Mrs. R. W. Miller, Mrs. Everett Wadley, Mrs. A. Judson Watkins, Mrs. E. R. Williams, Mrs. J. J. Pollard, Mrs. J. R. Werth, Mrs. John R. Wellford, Mrs. A. C. Watkins, Mrs. S. W. Travers, Mrs. George W. Warren, Mrs. William S. Tyler, Mrs. John N. Upshur, Mrs. Adolphus Townes, Mrs. William Fraser Tompkins, Mrs. Robert Thornton, Mrs. James G. Tinsley, Mrs. Williamson Talley, Mrs. Ashton Starke, Mrs. C. C. Walker, Mrs. George Anselie, Mrs. E. T. Robinson, Mrs. W. R. Cooke, Mrs. A. S. Buford, Mrs. S. B. Witt, Mrs. D. Stewart Hume, Mrs. W. G. Neale, Mrs. Andrew J. Gray, Mrs. A. Blaine Blair, Mrs. Garrett B. Wall, Mrs. E. M. Hoadley, Mrs. J. Clifford Miller, Mrs. J. B. Pace, Mrs. M. A. Samuelson, Mrs. H. M. Thomas, Professor Ernest B. Cosby, Miss Ellen Gulson, Mrs. John Farland, Mrs. George Seay, Mrs. John A. Coke, Jr., Mrs. M. B. Thomas, Mrs. Benjamin Parke Taliaferro, Mrs. Daniel D. Tally, Mrs. A. Randolph Tatum, Mrs. Henry Taylor, Jr., Mrs. Philip Taylor, Miss Carrie Leftwich, Mrs.

an "author's reading" of two or three short stories before the Woman's Club on Monday afternoon at half-past 4, Mrs. Moses D. Hoge being chairman of the occasion.

On Wednesday also, at 4:30 P. M. the Literary Round Table will meet to discuss Anthony Trollope's "Life of Thackeray" under the direction of Mrs. Thomas S. Wheelwright.

At the request of several members, the February tournament will be played on the 19th instead of the 26th, compass whist being the game.

Mrs. Leigh's Guest.

Mrs. John Thayer, of Charleston, Va., well known here as Miss Kittie Rhinchart, is the guest of Mrs. Egbert Leigh in her home on West Franklin Street.

Brilliant Audience.

Ben Greet, in the beautiful fantasy, "A Midsummer Night's Dream," was most enthusiastically received by Richmond society in the Academy on Thursday night, when he played to one of the most brilliant audiences of the winter. Among the prominent people in the boxes and loges were: Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Buford, Miss Barbara Trigg, Miss Elizabeth Brown, of Bedford county; Miss Ruth Hamilton, of Baltimore; Mr. Addison Reynolds, Mr. Palmer Leigh, Mr. Herbert Claiborne, Miss Frances Myers, Miss Elizabeth Randolph Preston, Miss Josephine Ellett, Mr. William Trigg, Mr. Charles Stokes, Mr. Pickett Lathrop, Mrs. Barton Wise, Miss Stewart, of Baltimore; Miss Bessie Tompkins, Miss Roberta Hamilton, Mr. Edward Tucker Harrison, Mr. Pleasanton Conquest, Mr. Henry Sydney Harrison, Mr. Hampden Chamberlayne, Mr. and Mrs. John T.

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MISS MARGARET LEE MYERS, a handsome Virginia girl, who is very popular at the University of Virginia, where she frequently visits. Miss Myers's home is near Lynchburg.

Lansford Lewis, Mrs. D. C. Richardson and Mrs. Walter Tanner.

Mrs. Rockwood's Box Party.

Mrs. Caroline W. Rockwood, of 220 East Franklin Street, will be hostess in a large party to hear Marchesi, given in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Franklin Norris, of Staunton, Va., and Mrs. Walter H. Ward, of Boston. Others present will be Miss Hannah P. Stewart, of Baltimore, Mrs. Horace W. Jones, Messrs. Garrett Tabb, Thurston Waller, W. Dewey Cooke and Mr. L. B. Slaughter.

Mr. T. Francis Green will also be host at a delightful box party on the same night.

At Woman's Club.

Miss Annie Steger Winston, always a favorite in club circles, will give

Anderson, Mrs. John Dunlop and Master James Allison.

Other noticed in the audience were:

Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Coke, Jr., Mrs. Travers

Daniel, Miss Daniel, Miss Avis Grant, Miss Alice Doyle, Miss Evelyn Gordon,

Judge and Mrs. R. Carter Scott, Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. George War-

ren, Mrs. Virginia Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alston Cabell, Colonel W.

Gordon McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. McCabe, Miss Emily Armistead, Miss

Jane, Mr. Lillburn Myers, Mrs. Barton Grady, Mrs. W. H. Palmer and Mrs.

James Caside.

The Speaking Cast of "Bibi."

Rehearsals for the many different features of "Bibi" are progressing,

and much interest is being taken in this novel entertainment to be given

in February for the benefit of the Confederate Home for Needy Women. Miss

Edna Bailey will sustain her reputation as an entertainer in the main

part of the play, while other members of the cast will be Misses Mary

Witt, Maggie Berant, Rebecca Walker, Elizabeth Wilson, Nanette Crawford

and Messrs. Edward Breeden, George D. Richardson, Herbert Carls, W. H.

Kelley, Lewis Cutchins and Woodridge Tucker.

The patriotic specialty, "Dixie," will

include the following young ladies:

Misses Marguerite Stoltz, Elizabeth

Pattee, Bessie Cross, Evelyn Richardson, Ida Bailey, Ethel Wharton, Cor-

nell Crane, Susie Cooke, Silvia May, Ethel Lester, Dora Horner, Ruby

Stoltz, Stella Jolly, Eliza Ingram, Otto Gregory, Kathleen O'Bannon, Alice

Ingram, Imogen Gregory, Nancy Allen, Virginia Girt Entertainers.

Miss Mary Osborne Templeton, of

Waynesboro, Va., who is well known

in Richmond, having often visited here,

is the guest of Mrs. A. G. Clapham in

her home on Connecticut Avenue,

Washington, and is having a most de-

lightful visit, several entertainments

having been given in her honor. On

the 26th Mrs. Clapham gave her tea

from 5 to 7 in the afternoon, followed

by a buffet dinner. Hon. Hal D. Fied



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clothes of the First English Lutheran Church, at Seventh and Grace Streets, will have an important meeting on Thursday next, February 4th, at 2

o'clock. Officers for the year will be elected, and all members are urged to be present. Non-members will be gladly received and welcomed.

Oakwood Association.

A meeting of the Senior and Junior Oakwood Associations will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the brick schoolhouse at St. John's Church. All members are urged to be present, as arrangements will be made for celebrating Oakwood Memorial Day.

Miss Steinlein's Recital.

Miss Nancy Parker Steinlein gave a charming song recital yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Miss Elfre Aylett Coker's studio, at 293 East Franklin Street. Miss Steinlein has a beautiful voice, and sang La Farge's "Brühnselzug," "Sans Tol," D'Hardelot and Dell Acqua's "Villanelle" and Schubert's "Since First I Met Thee" most artistically. Bohrer's "Calm as the Night," followed by an air from Handel's exquisite music of the "Messiah," were both beautifully rendered.

Miss Coker also sang several selections during the evening in her usual charming manner, and Miss Steinlein was further assisted by Miss Maude St. John, who rendered Fisher's "Under the Rose" and the "Lullaby" from Godard's "Jocelyn." After "The Temple Bells" from "The Garden of Eden."

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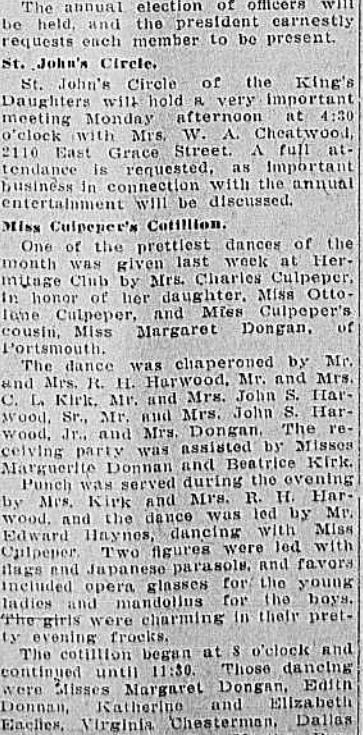
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COLONEL W. W. SALE, of Norfolk.

The engagement of Miss Tunis to Colonel Sale was announced in Norfolk yesterday, and as both are prominent socially, created much interest. Miss Tunis is an accomplished writer, a contributor to a number of leading newspapers and magazines, and a young woman of unusually attractive personality. Her fiancé is a State Senator from his district, a member of the Governor's staff and of the Norfolk clubs. The date of the marriage will be given later.

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Branch R. Allen Auxiliary.

The regular monthly meeting of the Branch R. Allen Auxiliary will be held on Tuesday, February 2d, at 11 o'clock, in the annex of Murphy's Hotel.

The annual election of officers will be held, and the president earnestly requests each member to be present.

St. John's Circle.

St. John's Circle of the King's Daughters will hold a very important meeting Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. A. Chestwood, 2110 East Grace Street. A full attendance is requested, as important business in connection with the annual entertainment will be discussed.

Miss Culpeper's Cotillion.

One of the prettiest dances of the month was given last week at the

private club by Mrs. Charles Culpeper, in honor of her daughter, Miss Ottilie Culpeper, and Miss Culpeper's

cousin, Miss Margaret Dongan, of Portsmouth.

The dance was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Harwood, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John S. Harwood, Jr., and Mrs. Dongan. The

receiving party was assisted by Misses Marguerite Donnan and Beatrice Jones. Punch was served during the evening

by Mrs. Kirk and Mrs. R. H. Harwood, and the dance was led by Mr. Edward Haynes, dancing with Miss Culpeper. Two figures were led with flags and Japanese parasols, and favors

included opera glasses for the young ladies and mandolins for the boys.

The girls were charming in their pretty evening frocks.

The cotillion began at 8 o'clock and continued until 11:30. Those dancing were Misses Margaret Dongan, Edith Donnan, Katharine and Elizabeth

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At Home to Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Mayer, whose wedding was celebrated in Troy, N. Y., on January 6th, have returned from a delightful bridal trip, and now are at home at 1527 Floyd Avenue.

Mrs. Mayer was, before her marriage, Miss Anna J. Byrne, of Troy, N. Y.

Mr. Mayer is assistant agent at Elba Station, and with his bride, is now receiving the congratulations of Richmond friends.

Personal Mention.

Miss Meta Randolph has returned from a most delightful visit to Mrs. Frank Smith, in Princess Anne, Md. Miss Randolph was also the guest of Mrs. Columbus Schriver, at her home in Baltimore.

Mrs. George Davis has returned to her home in East Orange, after having been the guest of Mrs. John Farland, at her home in Grace Street. Mrs. Davis is a charming woman, and was delightfully entertained by her many Richmond friends while here.

Mrs. Borden, of New York, spent several days last week in Richmond with her friend, Mrs. L. A. Palmer.

Mrs. A. H. Shepherd, of Annapolis, Md., who has been the house guest of Mrs. Philip Taliaferro for some time, will leave tomorrow for South Carolina, where she will visit her cousin, Miss Mallory, for a week.



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